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Information Item

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REPORT ON MEMBERSHIP OF TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT ACTIVITIES (TEA) ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

SUMMARY

The California Transportation Commission (Commission) reviewed information on the status of establishing a TEA Advisory Committee for program reforms at its October 2001 meeting. The Commission requested that the Department of Transportation (Department) provide more specific membership information at the November 2001 meeting.

BACKGROUND

At the request of the Commission, the Department is coordinating the establishment of a TEA Advisory Committee. The Committee will provide recommend changes to the Department and the Commission on California's administration of the TEA Program to improve timely and successful project delivery. The Advisory Committee will consist of 11 members representing Business, Transportation & Housing Agency; California Resources Agency; Federal Highway Administration; Cities; Counties; Regional Transportation Planning Agencies (urban and rural); bicycling and pedestrian advocacy groups; and environmental advocacy groups. The TEA Program Coordinator for the Department will serve as Committee Facilitator. The Department will provide staff support to the Committee.

RECOMMENDATION

The Department received nominations for Committee membership from the represented organizations. The attached document provides the specific membership information requested by the Commission in October.

Attachment

TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT ACTIVITIES (TEA) ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The California Transportation Commission (Commission) reviewed a report submitted by Commission staff regarding the re-design of the current Transportation Enhancement Activities (TEA) Program. It requested the Department of Transportation and Commission staff to establish a TEA Advisory Committee to examine options and propose changes to the TEA Program. The following is a list of Organizations and Committee members that will participate on the TEA Advisory Committee:

ORGANIZATION

Business, Transportation & Housing Agency

California Resources Agency Federal Highway Administration

League of California Cities

California State Association of Counties

Regional Transportation Planning Authority (Urban)

Regional Transportation Planning Authority (Rural)

California Association of Bicycling Organization

The Rails to Trails Conservancy

The Nature Conservancy
The Trust for Public Lands

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